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RESPONSE TO FINAL

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Final Office Action mailed April 8, 2005, which response is being submitted on or before October 8, 2005, and for which a three-month extension fee is due and is being submitted herewith.

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is also being submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 5.